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JACK STONE**
Can Do... Will Do... Done!



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SNEAK
PREVIEW!
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HEY LOOK!
JACK STONE CAPTURED
THOSE ESCAPED
JAIL BIRDS AND
ALREADY HAS THEM
BACK IN JAIL!

WOW!
WHAT A GUY!
HE'S MY HERO!



Secrets
behind the
**Special
Effects**

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NEW
Possibilities

JACK STONE™ SAVES THE DAY!

Can Do... Will Do... Done! When you hear those words, you know Jack Stone is coming to the rescue! Jack always knows when there's danger -- and always knows just what to do! He's brave & super smart, and he can build and rebuild his way out of danger!

See Jack in action at www.LEGO.com/jackstone

I'LL HAVE THIS FIRE OUT IN NO TIME!

FLICKERING FIREBALLS! JACK'S THE BEST!

HEY, HE ROBBED THE BANK AND HE'S SPEEDING TOO!

4609 Fire Attack Team

Jack Stone started his day by helping the Fire Attack Team put out a blaze downtown! What a guy!

CAN DO... WILL DO... DONE!

JUST IN TIME TO STOP THIS RUNAWAY RAFT!

GALLOPING GUPPIES! GOOD THING JACK STONE WAS HERE!

4610 Res-Q Super Station

Jack used the Res-Q boat to save some swimmers - then he caught up to our life raft before it got away!

4604 Police Copter



4608 Bank Breakout

Jack stopped a bank robbery before lunch using one of his special creations!



I'LL STOP HIM!

CAUGHT YOU!

4606 Aqua Res-Q Transport

RATS!
IT'S JACK STONE

4611 Police HQ



Jack helped us stop a jailbreak by dropping from a helicopter! Just a typical day for Jack Stone!

Tell Us Your Favorite Jack Stone Adventure

Your story could appear in a future issue of LEGO® Mania Magazine! How would you save the day if you were Jack Stone? Write a short story (no more than 150 words please) using Jack's vehicles and equipment!

Send your story by August 30, 2001 to:
Jack Stone Adventure
LEGO Mania Magazine
P.O. Box 1625
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On the first page of your story, please write your name, age, address, and the title of your story.

**CAN DO... WILL DO...
DONE!**

Raise and lower the cell doors!

THUNDER AND STEERHEADS!
A JAIL BREAK!

Lights flash and sirens wail on the police world!



Bringing

DINOSAURS

to Life!



Attack of the Spinosaurus

The chartered airplane crashes and is attacked by a Spinosaurus. Bigger and meaner than a T-Rex!



Raptors

Smarter than dolphins, whales or primates. What are they capable of?

When the dinosaurs in Jurassic Park III make you jump out of your seat, you can thank the special effects wizards at Stan Winston Studios and Industrial Light & Magic (ILM)!

Stan Winston Studios designed and built the animatronic dinosaurs you see in the movie. Animatronics are motorized puppets controlled by

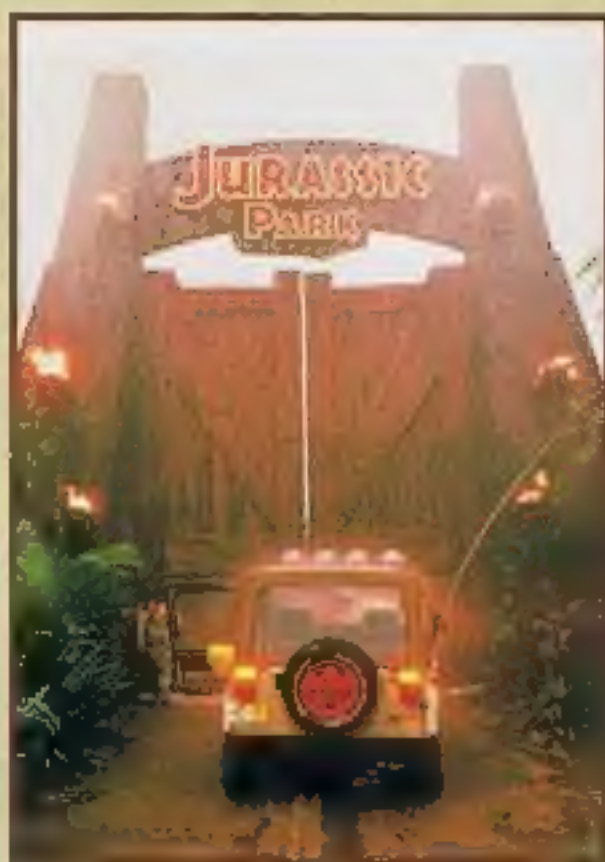
electronics. They're often used for close-up shots, especially ones where the actors have to actually touch the dinosaurs (or get eaten by them!). When the Spinosaurus sticks his head into the wrecked airplane in Jurassic Park III, that's an animatronic dinosaur.

Working with animatronics can be tricky. Water can damage them, so you have to make sure the mechanical parts stay dry. Plus these dinosaurs are real giants - the Spinosaurus animatronic weighs 24,000 pounds! Special care has to be taken so that all the actors can work with them safely.

CGI effects are done on computer and added after the movie has been shot (CGI stands for

computer generated imagery"). These are produced by ILM, and are used for scenes where the dinosaurs have to do a lot of action. Pteranodons flying, herds of dinosaurs running - those effects all come from the ILM CGI specialists and their computers.

When you go see Jurassic Park III, see if you can guess which scenes use CGI and which feature real animatronic dinosaurs!



Much has changed since visitors passed through these gates in the first Jurassic Park film.



DIRECTOR'S CORNER

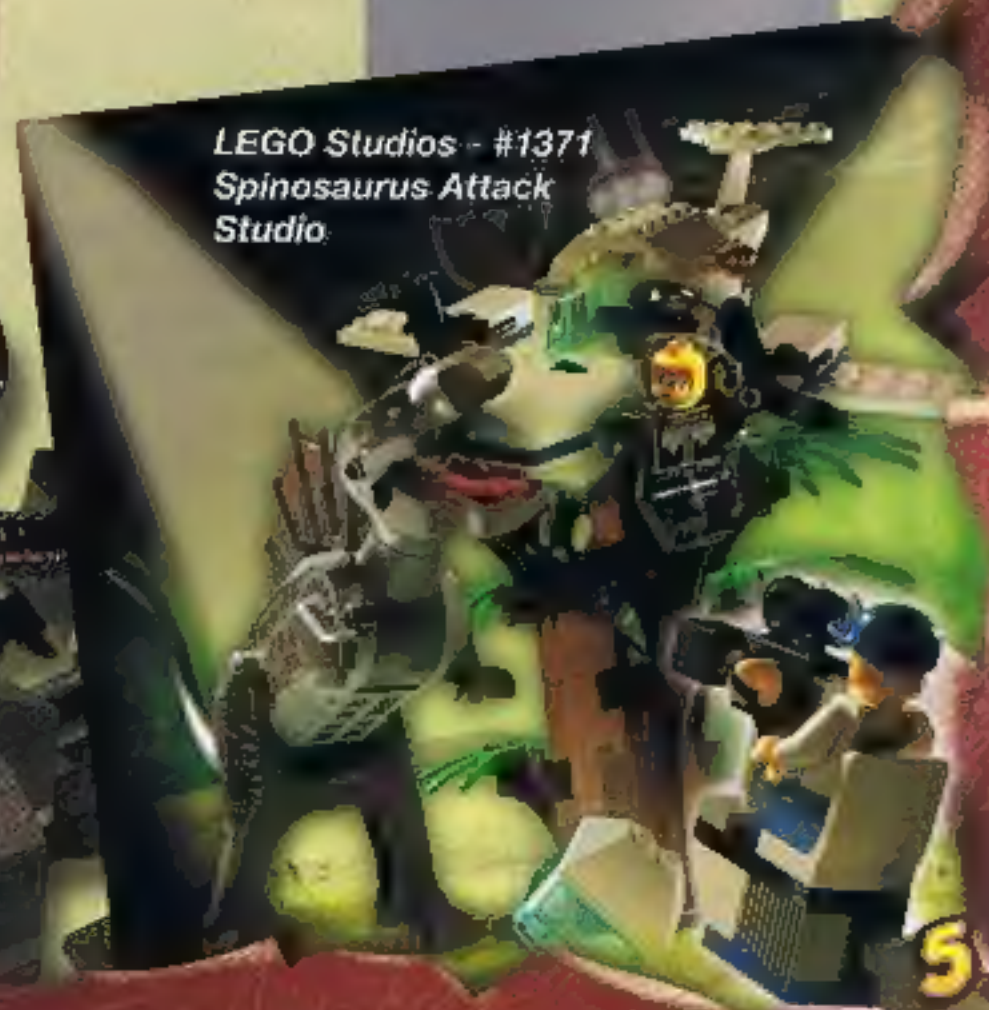
Animatronics or CGI? How do moviemakers decide when to use an animatronic creature and when to use a CGI effect?

The special effects people talk with the director and go through the storyboards (like the "Dino Cop" storyboards featured last issue). They look at each scene and decide which kind of effect they think will work best!

Raptors from LEGO Studios #1370 Raptor Rumble Studio



LEGO Studios - #1371 Spinosaurus Attack Studio



Adventures in LEGO World

HOORAY FOR HOLLYWOOD

ANOTHER TYPICAL DAY AT LEGO STUDIOS...

AH, THERE'S NOTHING
LIKE THE BIG CITY AT
NIGHT. SO QUIET, SO
PEACEFUL...



I NEED TO TALK
TO THE DIRECTOR.
I'M TIRED OF THE
DINO HEAD GETTING
TOP BILLING IN OUR
PICTURES.

LIGHTS!
CAMERA! ACTION!

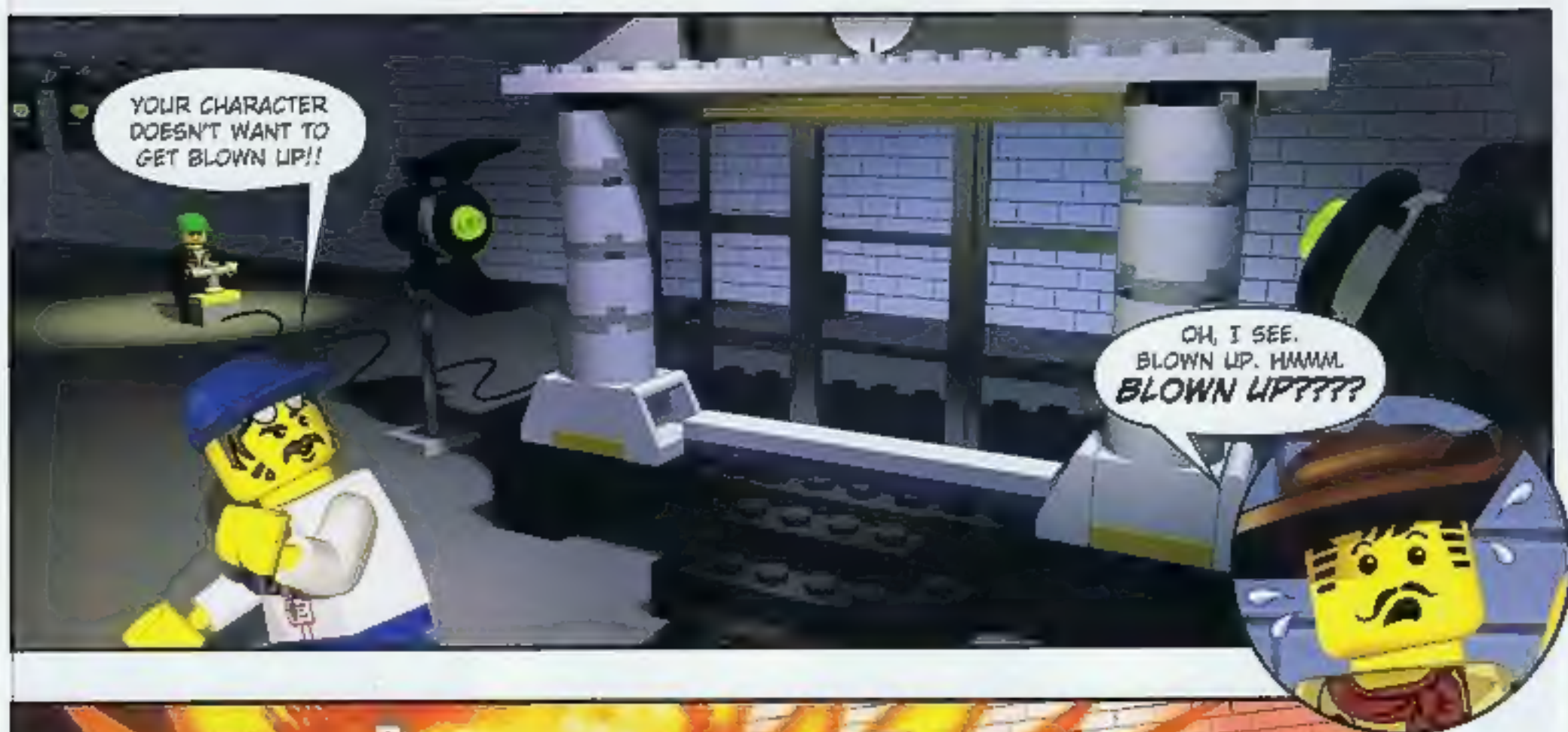
AFTER ALL,
I WORK AS HARD
AS ANY DINO
HEAD...

WHOOSH!

AND I DON'T
NEED TO BE OILED
BETWEEN EVERY
TAKE...

VROOOOMMM!

THAT DOES IT!
I'M CALLING MY
AGENT!



HEY MOVIE AUDIENCE! NO LEGO MINIFIGURES WERE HURT IN THE MAKING OF THIS FILM.



**YOU'VE NEVER
SEEN
DINOSAURS
LIKE THIS
BEFORE!**

**CREATE YOUR
OWN AND SEE
HOW THEY
SURVIVE IN THE
PREHISTORIC
WORLD!!**

COMBINING DIFFERENT
DINOSAUR MODELS LETS
YOU CREATE **WILD NEW
PREHISTORIC BEASTS!** YOU
CAN BUILD ANY OF THESE
OR CREATE WHOLE NEW
DINOSAURS OF YOUR OWN!



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2. MIX AND MATCH PIECES AT WILL.
3. **UNLEASH
YOUR
CREATIONS!**

LEGO DINOSAURS

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Build the Ultimate Toa!

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Toa Kaita Akamai

TO DEFEAT MAKUTA, THE SIX TOA MUST COMBINE THEIR POWERS AND MERGE TO FORM TWO GREAT BEINGS CALLED TOA KAITA. AKAMAI, PICTURED ON THIS PAGE, IS A MIGHTY WARRIOR AND IS FORMED BY COMBINING ELEMENTS OF ONUA, POHATU, AND TAHU. YOU'LL FIND STEPS TO BUILD AKAMAI IN THE BUILDING INSTRUCTIONS BOOKLET FOR ONUA, POHATU AND TAHU.



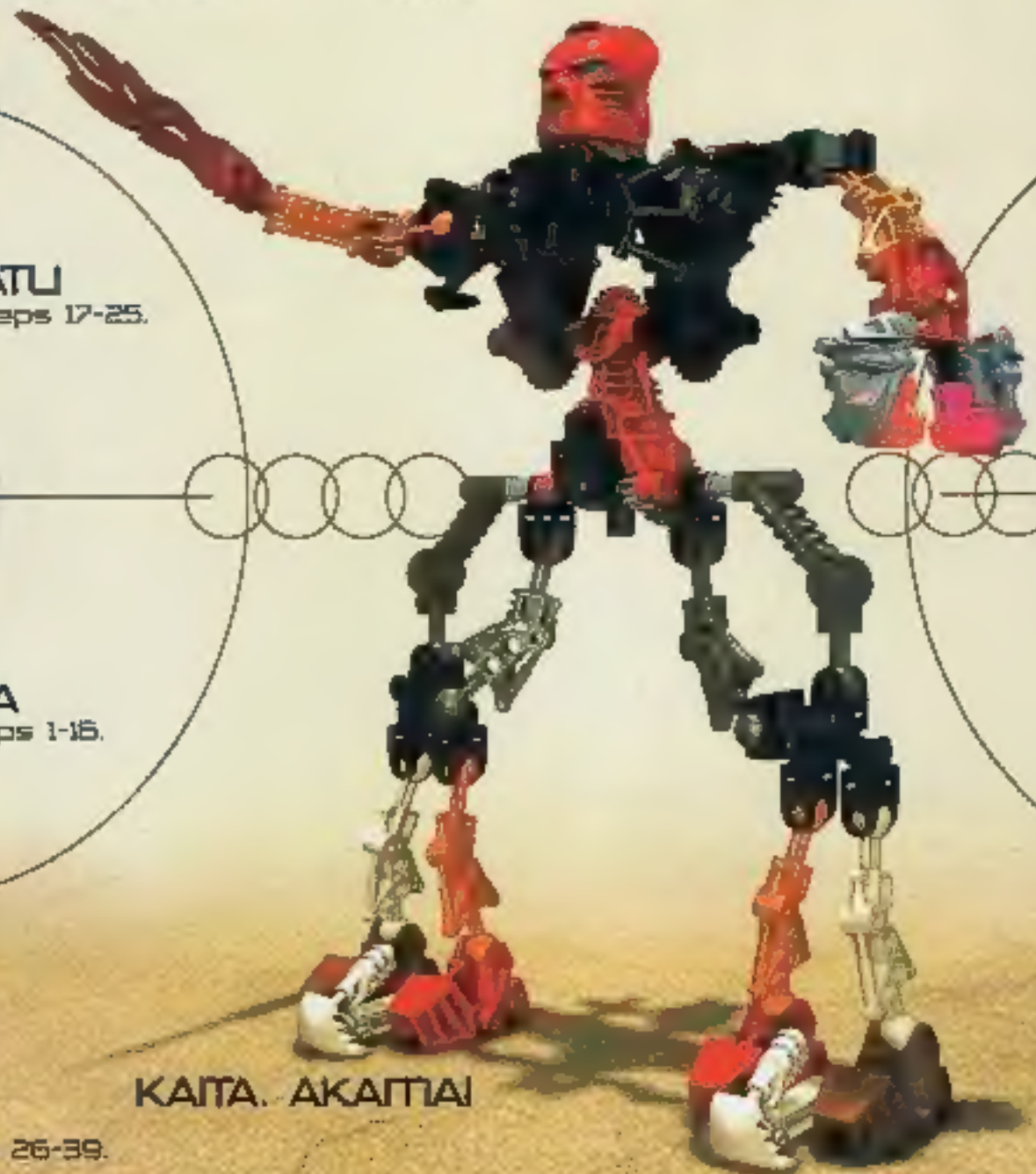
POHATU
includes steps 17-25.



ONUA
includes steps 1-16.



TAHU
includes steps 26-39.



KAITA. AKAMAI

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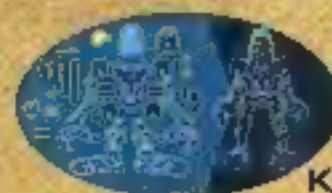
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AND LEWA TO FORM THE SECOND TOA
KAITA, WAIRUHA.



KOPAKA



GALI



LEWA



KAITA. Wairuha

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FIKOU tree spider

The Fikou is a dangerous tree spider found in the jungles of Mata Nui. It is most often seen in the vicinity of Le-Koro, and the natives of Lewa's realm must always be on guard when swinging through the trees.

Fikou love to lurk among the high branches and wait for their incredibly strong webs to entangle prey.

STEP 1



STEP 2



STEP 3



STEP 4



See the Fikou and other creatures from Mata Nui in the BIONICLE™ Game Boy Advance game coming this Fall!

FINAL STEP



To make your own Fikou tree spider use pieces from #8532 Orua and #8531 Pohatu or create your own creature!



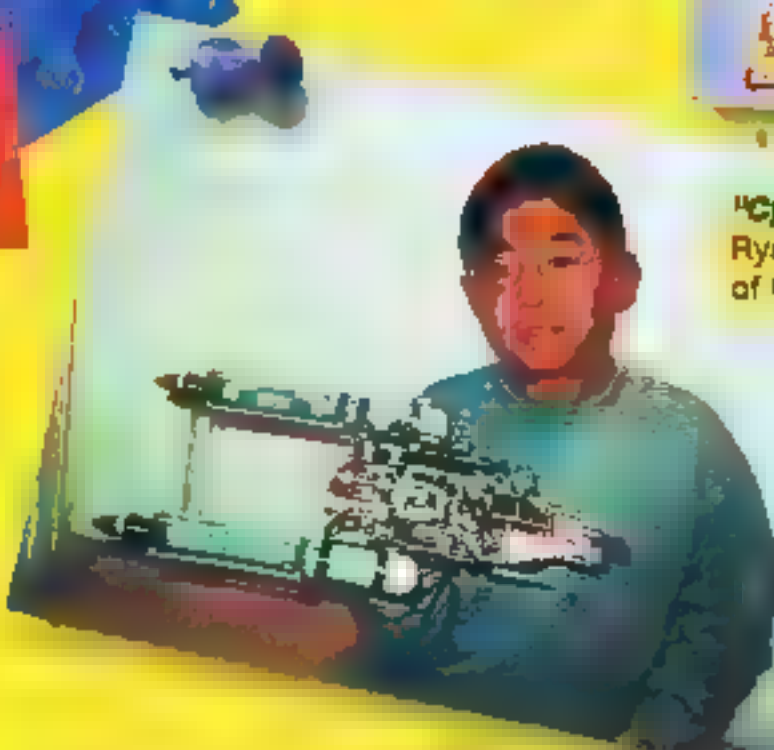
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Send a photo of your model to:
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Remember to include your
name, address, age, and model
name. Pictures will not be
returned and we take no extra
photos of ourselves.



"Cyber Wing"
Ryan Sze, age 9,
of California



"Iron Eater"
Peter Broughton, age 10,
of Virginia



"Dragon's Lair"
Christopher Warner, age 10,
of Ohio

LIFE ON MARS

Creative
Coloring
Challenge
Winners

Eric Bundy, 14, Pennsylvania
David Delagardelle, 12, Indiana
Aaron Yamagata, 10, California
Michael DiGiovanni, 8, Florida
Jason Gabel, 6, New York

For other Coloring Creations, visit www.LEGO.com/mars



"Airport"
William Rori, age 8,
of Michigan



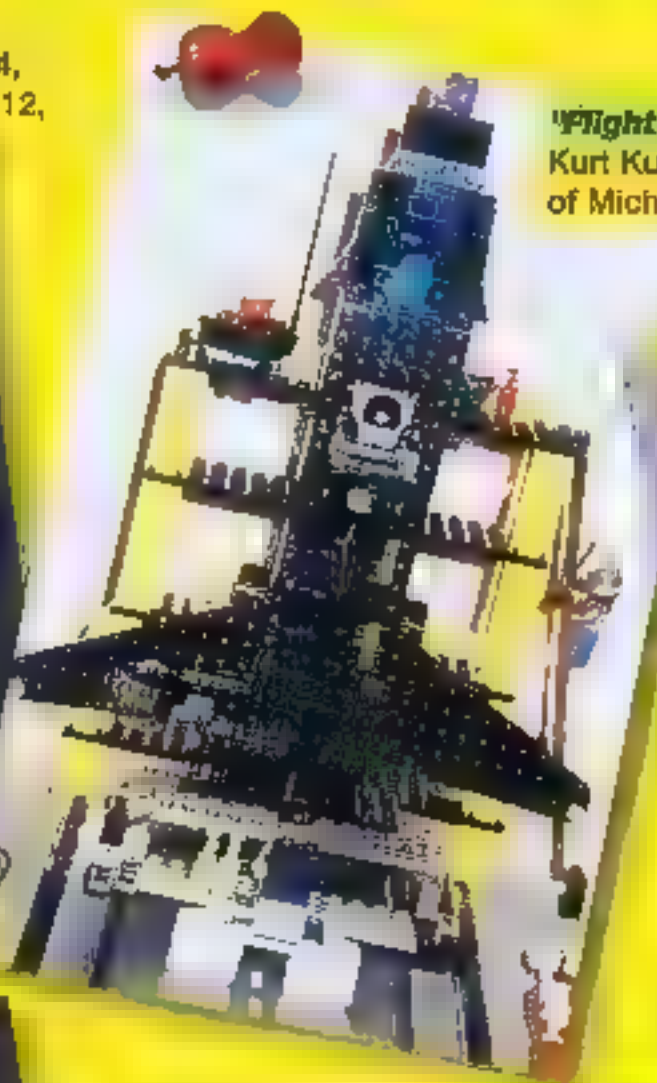
"Space Station One"
Thomas Hoster, age 6,
of Illinois



"Rescue Base"
Peter Lorson, age 6, and
Colum Barbato, age 6,
of Illinois



"LEGO Town"
Nathan Connors, age 14,
and Paul Connors, age 12,
of Illinois



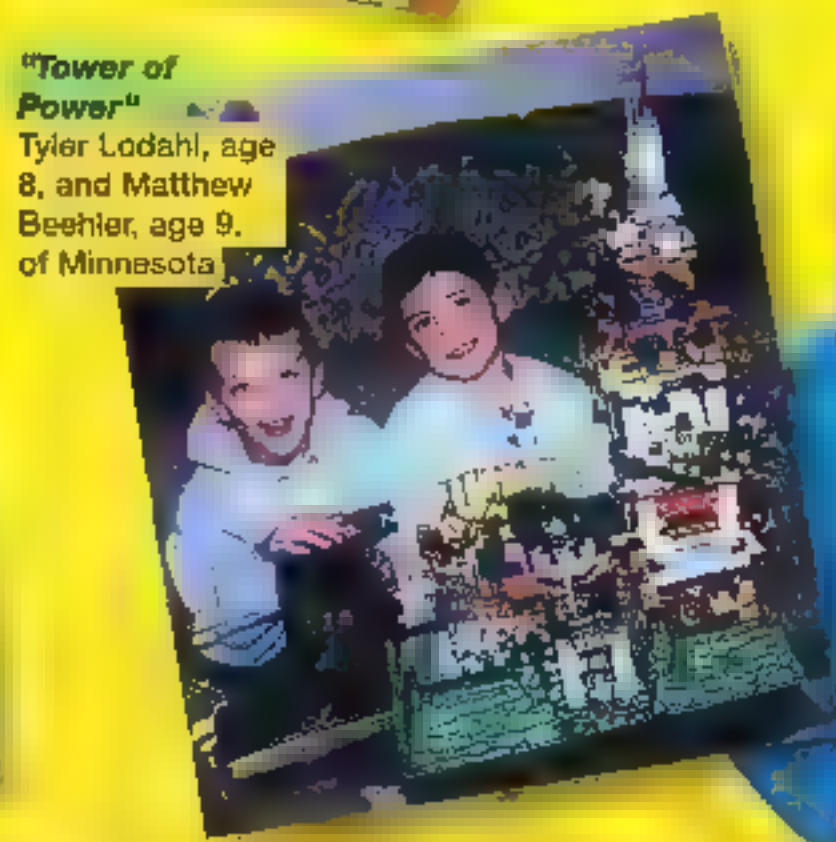
"Flight of the Night"
Kurt Kurzenhauser, age 12,
of Michigan



"Rocket Car"
Eliot Herz, age 5, of Alaska



"Fun House"
Amber Poteet, ages 5,
of Colorado



"Tower of Power"
Tyler Lodahl, age 8, and Matthew
Beehler, age 9,
of Minnesota



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to see more
creations by other
kids just like you in
the
website gallery!



COMING THIS FALL *Start Your Engines!*

LEGO

RACERS 2



Rocket Racer is back and he's ready to take you on in the Galactic Racing Championship! Build your car, compete in high-speed races on alien worlds, and win the Golden Bricks. There's plenty of danger, excitement and fun on your way to the finish line in LEGO Racers 2!



All screenshots taken from PC/CD-ROM version of the game.

Build!



Design and build your own car, then watch it go! If you need to make repairs during the race, stop in the pit for more bricks.

Race!



Challenge other Racers on 24 new tracks on four different worlds! Drive in rain and snow on your way to victory!

Win!



Gross the finish line first and you win the Golden Brick, plus unlock exciting new bonus levels!

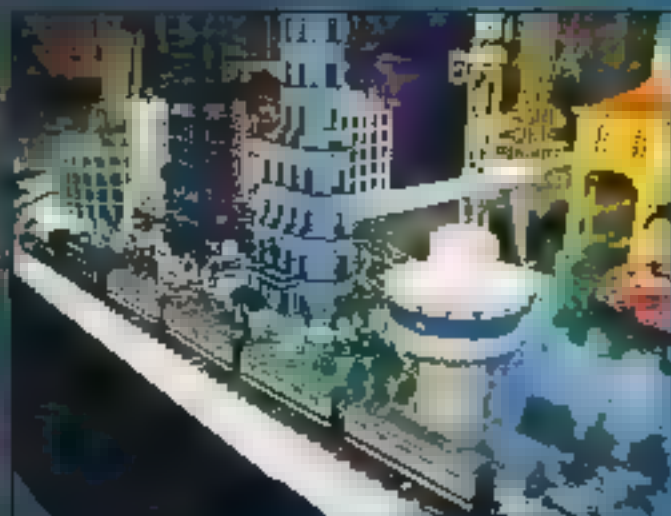


All Aboard for Railroad Fun!

There's nothing as exciting as building your own model railroad and making it run -- just ask the members of the LEGO Train Clubs all over the nation! LEGO Train Club members build their own engines, train cars, and track layouts, just for fun or to display at model train shows.

The fun part is creating your own creations by using your knowledge and your imagination, says Larry Pieniazek, a member of the Greater Midwest LEGO Train Club and the Michigan LEGO Train Club. "Start by learning about real trains, so that your models can be more realistic."

A great place to get started in this cool hobby is at a model train show. Looking at what other people have built can give you great ideas for your own creations!



LEGO Train Display at LEGOLAND this Summer!

All the incredible train layouts shown on this page are from the Pacific Northwest LEGO Train Club (PNLTC). Shown at right is their World Record Breaking Train layout with 3,433 feet of track!

A new PNLTC train display will be at LEGOLAND California for the special LEGO Club weekend August 4-5, 2001.



Visit www.LEGO.com/trains to find out more about LEGO Trains.

Photos courtesy of PNLTC

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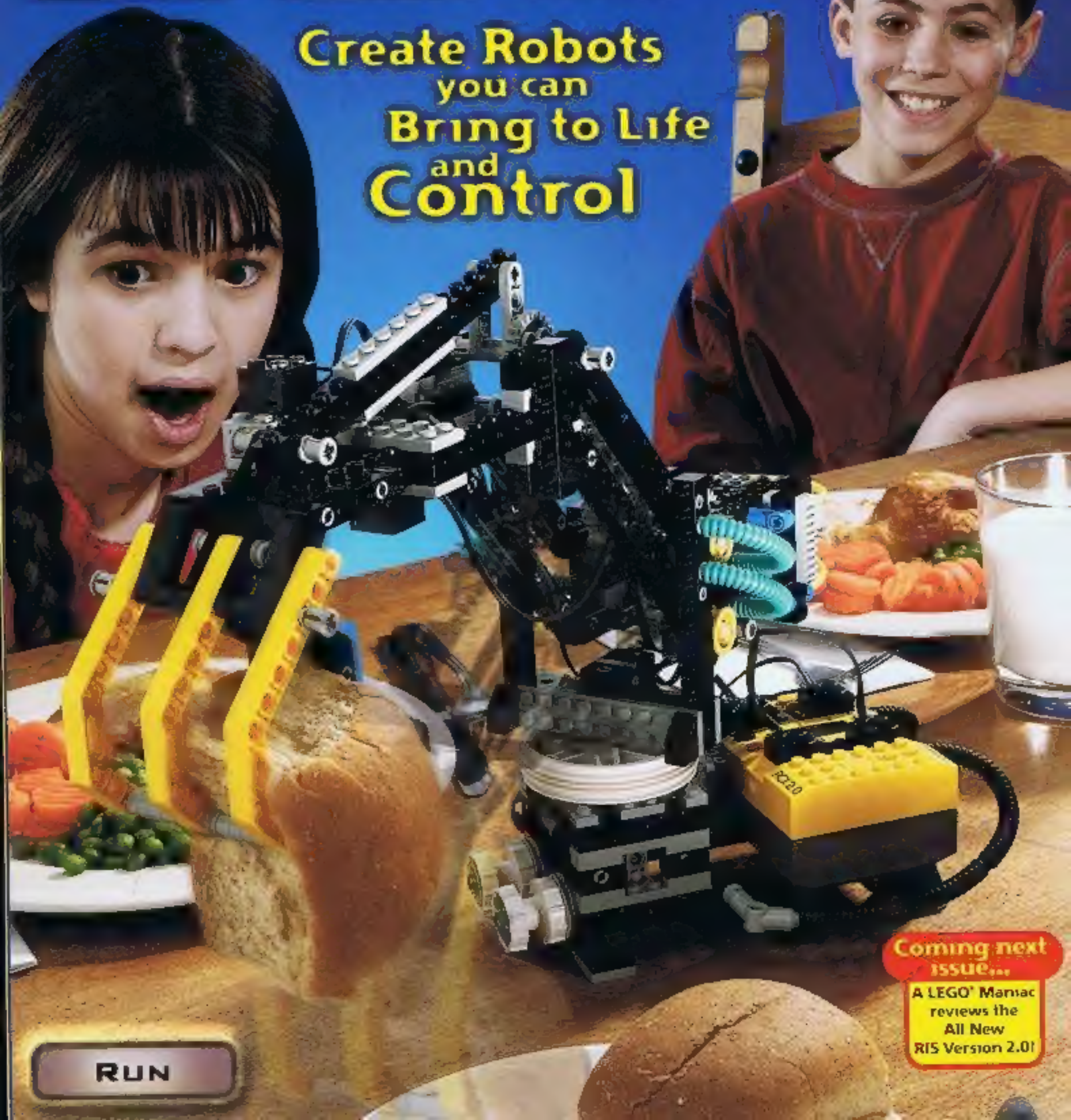
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"macro" command blocks



Activate your
robotic invention

Wait until she
asks me to pass
the butter!

Create Robots you can Bring to Life and Control



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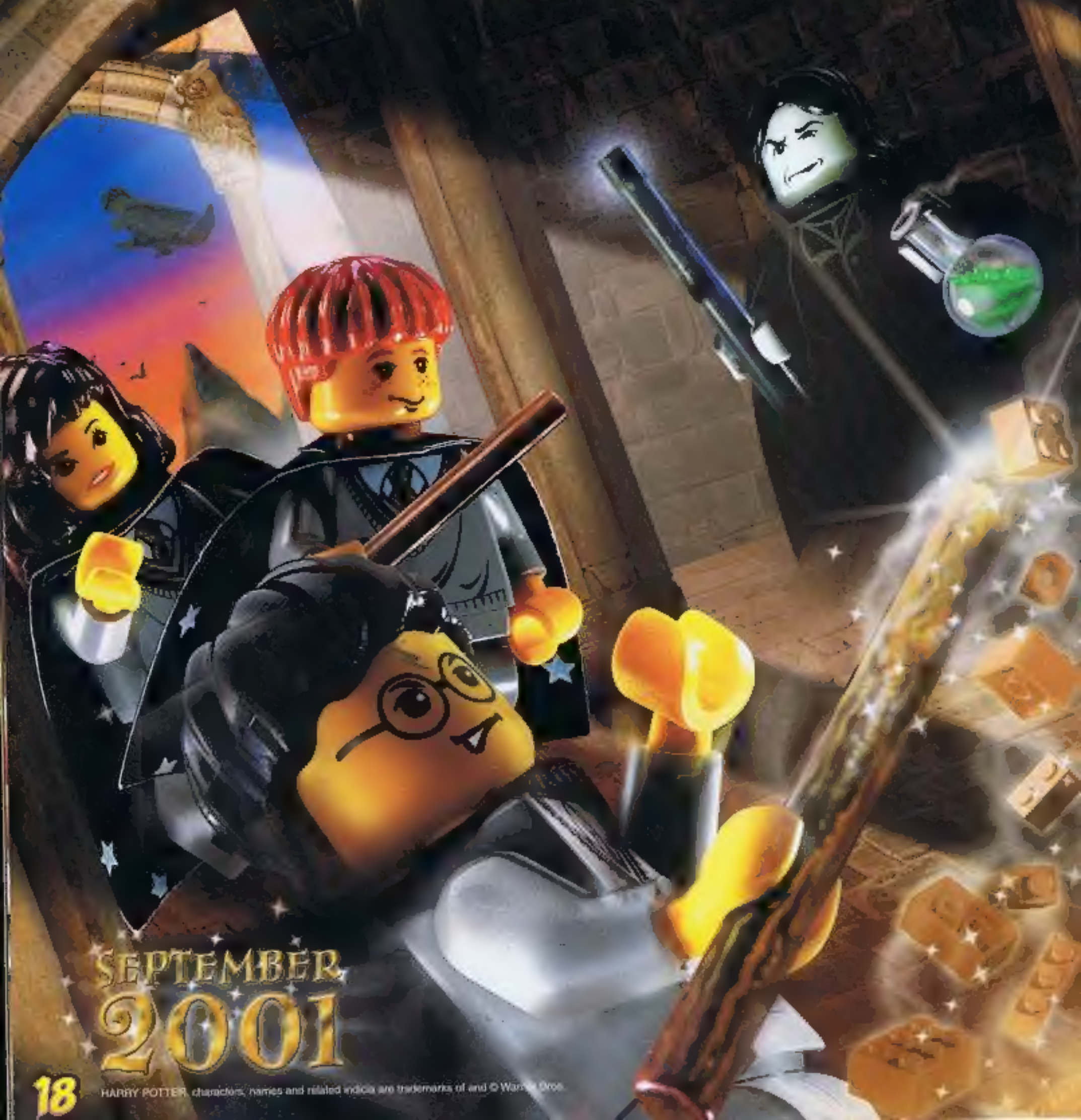
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AND
THE
SORCERER'S
STONE™



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BIG FUN AT MINILAND!

Miniland is one of the coolest places to visit at LEGOLAND® California. It features small-scale versions of New York City, Washington, D.C., New Orleans, New England, and the California coast, all created by LEGO® Master Builders!

It took 100 Master Builders almost three years and 20 million LEGO bricks to build Miniland. That means it would have taken one person over 67 years to do the job!

There are over 700 buildings in Miniland, and each one features tiny lightbulbs the size of pencil erasers so that it can light up at night.

Be sure to visit Miniland the next time you're at

LEGOLAND California!



The Empire State Building features 233,500 LEGO bricks. If you stacked all those bricks on top of each other, they would measure 7-1/2 miles high!



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Scramble CONTEST



2. Half a dozen dolls on the field.
3. Playmates are running with dolls in their hands.
4. Fans are flying away from the stage.
5. Gulls are standing on the road.
6. Tamar trees are paired in the middle of the field.

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